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If tariff is for the benefit of the American laborer, then why is labor wages being reduced in every protected industry at this moment in the face of an increasing tariff duty? Let some advocate of a protective tariff answer for laboring men.

Wise men tell us money is plenty, all that is needed is to get it among the people. The same thing can be said of fire that is beyond the reach of the freezing man, or water that is locked from those starving of thirst. Can money be gotten among the people so long as it is more profitable to hoard than to invest?

The Toledo *Blade* says: "Oh, it was pitiful, that speech of Bushnell's, in accepting a nomination for governor of Ohio. He expressed sympathy for Cuba and hope of a good harvest, but failed to say a word of the affairs of the state. The whole convention was a parody reading: 'Let all be for the party, and none be for the state.'"

In your Uncle Marcus' "piece" so cleverly written by his paid attorney, he did not tell what had become of the prosperity that he and Brer McKinley promised so faithfully last autumn. It was scheduled to come along immediately if McKinley was elected but somehow slipped the trolley, and Marcus failed to explain about it.

The Republican newspapers of Toledo are eulogizing Mark Hanna upon his speech. It probably cost Marcus several of the dollars that he wrung from his oppressed employees to have some person write the speech for him, and several more to employ some electioneer to drill him in the delivery of it. Marcus' long suit is labor crushing—not indulging in oratorical flights.

None need longer be mistaken as to who elected McKinley. Statistics are now complete enough to show that vote came from the cities and large towns. What does this mean? It means the coercion policy of railroads, factories and all places where force could be used under the threat of loss of position, or promise of advanced wages.

And now comes one Asa S. Bushnell, candidate for governor of Ohio on the Republican ticket, through the grace of boss Hanna, and says that Major Dick is a traitor and does not tell the truth in things political. All of which goes to confirm the statements made by Jo Foraker and reiterated in the Republican press of Ohio that the Republican party of this state has harmony to spare.

Hon. William J. Bryan very tersely stated the financial problem as follows: "Restoration of bimetalism will restore the parity between money and property and thus permit an era of prosperity which will enable the American people to become lenders of money instead of perpetual borrowers. How long can we continue to borrow under a system which by lowering the value of property weakens the foundation upon which credit rests?"

The Toledo *Blade* brands those Republicans who believe that the coinage of silver would insure to the benefit of the country, as "silver Republican traitors." The condition of the country's business under the iniquitous gold standard has become so desperate, and there are so many hungry children under the operation of the gold bug policy, that there will be thousands and thousands of "silver Republican traitors" this fall. Many of these men are now traversing the streets of Toledo and other cities looking in vain for work. They see that the operation of the policy of the gold standard people means less employment and more suffering, less wages and more empty stomachs, and they want no more of it. They were hoodwinked and coerced by the gold power last fall, and after election were thrown upon their own resources, with idle factories, depressed business and a financial condition which has grown steadily worse since McKinley and his crew have been steering the ship of state. The many hungry, unemployed men whom the Republican press and leaders call "silver Republican traitors," say to these gold bug managers: "We want labor; we want clothing; we want fuel; we want food for our wives and babies. You have sold us out for British gold. We now purpose shaking off the domination of the gold money changers, who promise everything and give nothing but rage, idleness and hunger,

and will identify ourselves with the political party which favors such a policy as will give us employment at prices sufficiently remunerative to give our families food, shelter and raiment. And if this be treason, make the most of it." The goldbug Republicans will be groveling before these "silver Republican traitors" before the election, imploring them to come to their aid to help save the golden calf from annihilation.

RETALIATION FROM EUROPE.

James B. Eustis, late American ambassador to France, has much of interest to say concerning foreign sentiment and feeling toward this country and the policy of the party in power. In a recent interview, Mr. Eustis, among other things, said:

"All France, from one end to the other, is heartily tired of McKinleyism already. All Europe, in fact, is up in arms against the proposed tariff bill. It is bound to lead to retaliation on the part of European nations that will ultimately cripple the commerce of the United States. The continental nations will doubtless accept this increase of duty as a wage of commercial war, [which they expect to have to fight to the bitter end.]

"Recently one of the ministers of the German Empire, in conversation with Kaiser Wilhelm, expressed his fear of what is known as the 'peril genre,' (yellow danger), which means the cheap competition from Asiatic races like the Chinese and Japanese. 'No,' replied the Emperor, 'the trade hostility that European nations have to fear will not come from Eastern Asia, but from across the Atlantic. And we shall never be able to resist it until the European nations organize to retaliate against American products, as I hope and believe they will before long.'"

The Republican papers now abound in statements that the Toledo convention resulted in harmony with the largest sort of an H. They claim with the coolest possible assurance that the contest for the control of the committee was only in fun, and now all hands are perfectly happy over this result. It was so uproariously funny that Charley Kurtz, the Bushnell-Foraker candidate for chairman, left the convention and the city before the permanent organization had been announced. He could

not face the humiliation of the defeat he had sustained and was glad to escape before the announcement of the committee was made before the convention. It was funny, indeed, but Brer Kurtz can exist without a repetition of such an episode of fun.

A dispatch from Washington to the *New York World*, comments upon the open snub given to ex-Senator Sherman at the Toledo convention, in the following manner:

The absence of an endorsement of Secretary of State Sherman in the Ohio state platform, although the president, Senators Hanna and Foraker and Governor Bushnell are referred to in eulogistic terms, caused widespread comment in Washington. Among Ohio circles, especially, it afforded a theme for no end of discussion, and the gossips are endeavoring to discover a reason why mention of Mr. Sherman's name was omitted.

The fact that the president, together with Mr. Hanna, examined the platform before it was submitted to the state convention, and that Mr. McKinley assented to the omission of an encomium of Mr. Sherman, has given the circumstance a peculiar aspect.

Mayor Barter was a visitor at the Toledo convention Wednesday, and according to his usual custom will go to Columbus next Tuesday to attend the Democratic convention. In reply to a question put to him last night by the *Times-Democrat* as to whom he regarded as the most available candidate for nomination for Governor by the Democracy, the mayor said:

"Naturally, I presume our delegation will support our neighbor, Judge Smalley, of Wyandot. Among the names thus far considered he is the peer of them, and being, so to speak, of our own tribe and kindred is entitled to our support. "General Aquilla Wiley, of Wayne county, is one of the best equipped men in the state for the Democratic nomination for governor. His modesty bespeaks his merits, and he will never get there for the reason that he is too unassuming to put himself forward.

"The ideal candidate would be that polished gentleman, accomplished scholar, loyal Democrat, the legitimate successor among the younger generation of Thurman, Pugh and Pendleton—Judge Samuel F. Hunt, of Hamilton county. If Cincinnati would come up to the convention bearing his banner it would sweep everything before it and his election would be a foregone conclusion."

For Ladies.

A big line of swell Ladies' Oxfords, in all shades and colors, from

\$1.25 Up to \$3.00.



IN—
 Green, Brown,
 Chocolate, Wine,
 Oxblood, Black.

....NEW TOES, NEW LASTS, NEW STYLES!....

MICHAEL'S.

GRAND

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

An Old Fashioned Celebration Given By

ST. ROSE CONGREGATION

MONDAY, JULY 5th, '97

—AT—
 FAIR GROUNDS, LIMA, O.

HORSE, BICYCLE AND FOOT RACING.

BASE BALL GAME....

Between good teams and other amusements; speaking, singing and excellent music.
 Dinner, ice cream and refreshments on the ground.

+ EXCURSION RATES ON ALL RAILROADS. +

ALL ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

CARROLL & COONEY. MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE. CARROLL & COONEY.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE!



Muslin Underwear Sales are usually given only in January. We believe in giving people seasonable bargains and will, therefore, start a sale of these very seasonable garments to-day at lower prices than have ever been named in this city for similar qualities. Let us save you the worry of home sewing this hot weather, save you part of the cost you have counted for Underwear, furnish you more exquisitely trimmed garments than you would have the patience to make at home.

Ladies' Drawers, regular price, 25c; sale price	19c
Ladies' Drawers, regular price, 75c; sale price	48c
Ladies' Skirts, regular price, \$1.19; sale price	89c
Ladies' Chemise, regular price, 75c; sale price	48c
Ladies' Chemise, regular price, 50c; sale price	39c
Ladies' White Skirts, regular price, 75c; sale price	48c
Ladies' White Skirts, regular price 89c; sale price	69c
Ladies' Skirt Drawers, regular price \$2.50; sale price	\$1.98
All \$1.00 Skirts will be sold during this sale at	79c
All 25c Corset Covers will be sold during this sale at	19c
All 50c Corset Covers will be sold during this sale at	39c
All 50c Night Gowns will be sold during this sale at	39c
All \$1.00 Night Gowns will be sold during this sale at	79c

Every Garment in Our Muslin Underwear Department at Reduced Prices for the Next Few Days.

CARROLL & COONEY.

Shoe Company fails.
 Minneapolis, June 25.—The
 trum Shoe and Clothing company an-
 nounced to Ernest A. Kempe, Assets,
 \$75,000; liabilities not stated.

Adams	1	Marce	9
Allen	2	Blair	10
Anderson	3	Moore	11
Atkins	4	Montgomery	12
Baker	5	Nichols	13
Barnes	6	Roberts	14
Bell	7	Stewart	15
Benson	8	Thompson	16
Bishop	9	Turner	17
Black	10	Waller	18
Blackburn	11	Young	19
Blackwell	12	Clark	20
Blackman	13	Scott	21
Blackburn	14	Green	22
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Blackburn	20	Watts	28
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Blackman	22	Hyatt	30
Blackburn	23	Wheeler	31
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Blackwell	87	White	95
Blackman	88	Gray	96
Blackburn	89	Wright	97
Blackwell	90	King	98
Blackman	91	Lee	99
Blackburn	92	Watts	100

By order of Democratic State Central Committee.
 W. W. DUNN, Chairman.
 W. B. TOWNE, Secretary.

Some Shoe Specials.

Men's Tan Patent Leather Shoes, vesting top, first price 4.00, now 3.00
 Men's Shoes, vesting top, coin toe, 3.00
 Fine and Chocolate Oxfords, 98c to 2.50

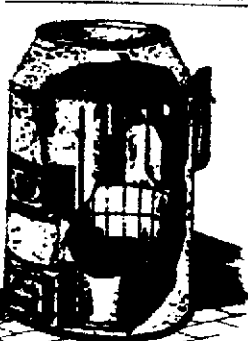
Men's Chocolate and Ox-blood Shoes, worth 3.50, for 3.00
 Men's Shoes 1.25 to 2.00
 L. Douglas Tan Shoes, worth 4.50, 4.00
 A splendid assortment of Boys' and Youths' Shoes at west possible prices.

A first-class line of Infants' and Children's Shoes in men's, Browns, Wines, Ox-bloods and Black, with fancy trimmings. Ask to see them.

Get a Ticket on the Pictures—No Lottery.

THE WAUGH SHOE STORE,

Bicycle and Gynnasium Shoes in Stock.



The Reliable Steel Plate Furnace!

The Modern House Warmer.

Write for catalogue and estimate on complete job to the manufacturer,

GEO. AUER, DELPHOS, O.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS.

Programme at Young Men's Christian Association.

Preliminary Remarks: Thomas Peat, Vocal Solo; Address: "The Place of Athletics in American Life," Dr. M. J. Thomson, Vocal Solo; Remarks from Active Members in Physical Department on "What a School Course in Physical Culture Has Done for Me," Miss Harriet Altschul, Model Presented: Miss Harriet Altschul, President Holmes.

The general public is cordially invited to be present. Athletics will be conducted at 10 o'clock during the next week only, when a change to 4 o'clock will be made.

To-morrow morning at 9 o'clock the ladies take their swimming instructions. Very many of the members are acquiring the useful as well as pleasurable art of swimming. The most scientific arrangement ever invented for such instructions. Your membership ticket will carry you through this institution. Why not take advantage of it?

Dr. D. R. Rothrock, of New Berlin Pa., does not hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's medicine. He says: "I have handled them for a year or more in my pharmacy and find them safe and reliable. My customers praise them very highly." No one who is troubled with rheumatism can use Chamberlain's Pain Balm without praising it. The quick relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner; O. W. Heister, 58 public square.

ONE DOLLAR

To Detroit and Return, Sunday, June 27th.

Via the Detroit & Lima Northern R. R. Train leaves Wayne street depot 8 a. m. Returning train leaves Detroit 6 p. m.

Choice Fish always on hand at KISSEL'S.

OIL AND GAS.

RUNS AND SHIPMENTS OF OIL.

The reports show that the runs of oil from the Ohio and Indiana fields are dropping off instead of increasing, which shows that the new wells completed are not heavy enough producers to keep up the loss occasioned by the decline of the older wells. The daily average per well per day in both states are a trifling over two barrels each, and as there are close to 26,000 producing wells, it shows that a great many of them are putting out less than a barrel a day. For the first half of the month the shipments for Ohio and Indiana oil is 7,343 barrels more than the runs per day. This shows that so far during the month the stocks have been drawn on to the extent of 102,702 barrels. This is good indication for an advance in the price of the commodity, as the Buckeye operators are entitled to it, as instead of piling up stocks like the eastern operators they are compelling the Standard to take at least 200,000 barrels per month from the stock to supply the demand. In the eastern fields the runs so far for the present month are 8,445 barrels more than the shipments. The drill is not being pushed to any extent in the Ohio and Indiana fields, while in the West Virginia districts rigs go up like mushrooms.

OIL MARKET.

Pennsylvania..... 47
 North Line..... 48
 South Line..... 48
 Indiana..... 46

DISEASES OF THE SKIN.
 The intense itching and smarting incident to eczema, tetter, salt-rheum, and other diseases of the skin is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples; chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites, and chronic sore eyes. For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

Try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, they are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge.

Choice Fish always on hand at KISSEL'S.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

NEW SUITS.

J. W. Davis vs. William Mummaugh; replevin.
 S. N. Shenk & Co. vs. D. M. Hines; transcript.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John W. Witmer to Elizabeth E. Allen, lot in McDonald's addition to Lima: \$1,200.
 Elijah Charles and wife to Carrie L. House, lot 181 in Bluffton: \$1,500.
 Deputy treasurer Peter Mell is considerably interested in some property that was left in the county treasurer's office, and would be pleased to have the owner call for the same.

Notice.

Just a glimpse at the platform of the Kindergarten church for the night would be worth the price of admission, but when those darling little tots take you with them for over an hour to "Fairy Land" you will be loath to come back to the realities of life.

Excursions to Milwaukee via Pennsylvania Lines.

July 3d, 4th and 5th special excursion tickets will be sold to Milwaukee, Wis., for National Educational Association annual meeting via Pennsylvania Lines. Tickets will be routed all rail via Chicago; or Chicago and Lake Steamship Lines, at the pleasure of the purchaser. Return coupons valid July 12th, inclusive. For additional information please call upon or address nearest Pennsylvania Lines ticket agent.

Water Works Notice.

If you pay your bill for last half of the year before July 15th you will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent.; if paid between the 15th and 20th of July, a discount of 5 per cent. will be allowed. Thereafter no discount will be allowed, and if the bill is not paid by August 15th the water will be turned off.

By order of the water works trustees. H. B. HACKEDORN, Sec'y.

THE LAST COLD WAVE!

GET READY TO—
 Store Your Heating Stoves.
 We care for, clean, black and set them up at a very low price.

CITY STORAGE HOUSE
 E. STICKNEY, Prop.

MR. J. A. JACOBS

Has purchased the business of G. V. McCallough, of 26 east Market street, and has retained Mr. George Hutchinson, who has been in the employ of G. V. McCallough for seven years as general salesman, who will be glad to see his old friends at the old stand 26 east Market street.
 J. A. JACOBS, Prop.

WANTED.

BIOCYCLE FOR SALE CHEAP—1897 "Ham-bler." Enquire at 210 west Elm. 16-17

FOR RENT—The Hotel Earl, 131 east Wayne street. Enquire at 230 west Wayne street. 16-17

WANTED—Girl for general housework; Enquire at once of Mrs. A. E. Avery, 1722

FOR SALE—A good family horse. Call at York & Stoenbach's livery barn, corner Market and Tenth street. 17

WANTED—HOUSE—Furnished house, during the summer months. Will furnish reference. Address Walter S. Baldwin, 221 north Elizabeth street. 17-18

FOR SALE—My property on west Market street. Will be sold on terms convenient to purchaser. Enquire at Oil Well Supply Co. or at premises. B. M. MOUTON, 13 1/2

FOR SALE—At a bargain, house to be moved off the lot first east of John Wheeler's brick block, on west Market street. For terms apply to J. A. Chapin, architect, or to Levi Heppick. 17-18

CLAIRVOYANT.

MME. DE LEMAR, Spiritual Medium, who has given such good satisfaction in our city for the past two weeks, by special request will remain with us 10 days longer. All who have not consulted this noted medium, had better do so as soon as convenient, or they will miss a rare chance of having their future revealed to them. The Madam is a Business Medium, and can be consulted on all affairs of life. Oil and give her a trial, at Hotel Faurot. Hours, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays, 10 to 4.
 The Madam has canceled other engagements to remain with us for 10 days longer. Call at Hotel Faurot on Elizabeth street.

A MARVELOUS AND MERCILESS MASSACRE OF MERCHANDISE!

Is What the Great Closing Out Sale at The Mammoth Can be Appropriately Termed.

This sale will sink into insignificance any sale ever before attempted. The reason is obvious. The imperative necessity of immediately clearing out the immense stock that was secured for the season renders all thought of price or profit secondary to the desire to quickly retire from business.

SO . WE . SLAUGHTER . PRICES!
 AND DO NOT CONCEAL THE FACT.

We make a slash in every department. We are determined to sell these goods and sell them at once. This determination will prove a source of profit to the people, because we will not stop at the question of price to attain our ends.

THIS IS AN UNRIVALLED OPPORTUNITY

To secure the best and biggest bargains ever offered. We do not rely on lurid language to attract the attention of the people, but we give them cold, hard, unanswerable fact. This fact is found in our price list.

READ IT; IT IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

Men's \$4.50 Suits go for	\$2.65	Children's \$1.50 Suits go for	\$ 80	"Manhattan" and "Star," best qualities French Madras, Zephyr, and French Percale Shirts go for	\$1.19
Men's 7.00 Suits go for	4.00	Children's 2.00 Suits go for	1.00	We will sacrifice Imported 25c Collars for	15c
Men's 8.00 Suits go for	5.00	Children's 2.50 Suits go for	1.40	We will sacrifice all the Lion Brand Collars for	10c
Men's 10.00 Suits, all wool black Clay go for	6.00	Children's 3.00 Suits go for	2.00	We will sacrifice all the 50c Neckwear for	25c
Men's 12.00 best quality blue Suits go for	8.00	Children's 4.00 Suits go for	2.50	We will sacrifice all the 75c Neckwear for	40c
Men's 14.00 and 16.00 Suits, finest made	9.50	Children's 5.00 Suits go for	3.25	We will sacrifice our 50c unlaundried Shirts for	35c
Men's 1.00 strong Working Pants go for	85c	Boys' \$4 long pant Suits, ages 14 to 19, go for	2.50	We will sacrifice Men's 20c Suspenders for	9c
Men's 1.00 best quality Jean Pants go for	70c	Boys' \$5 long pant Suits, ages 14 to 19, go for	3.00	We will sacrifice \$1.00 Men's Golf Hose, all wool, for	49c
Men's 1.50 and 1.75 Business Pants go for	1.00	Boys' \$6 long pant Suits, ages 14 to 19, go for	4.00	We will sacrifice the \$3.50 Guyer Hat for	2.25
Men's 3.00 all wool Pants go for	2.00	Boys' \$7.50 long pant Suits, ages 14 to 19, go for	5.00	We will sacrifice the \$5.00 "Youman" Hat for	3.2
Men's 4.50 and 5.00 fine Dress Pants go for	3.00	Boys' \$10 long pant Suits, ages 14 to 19, go for	7.00	We will sacrifice \$2.50 and \$3.00 Stiff Hats for	98c
Men's 1.50 all wool Sweaters go for	75c	Boys' 25c fast black Hose go for	17c	We will give you choice of our 50c and 75c Caps for	25c
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				We will sacrifice Men's Percale Shirts, the 75c kind, for	40c
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"Yes," assented the other, "and so is the rest of him for a few years."—Indianapolis Journal.

Good Advice to Women.

Women, on account of the toil and work entailed by their household duties, too often neglect the habit and regularity of their peculiar organism. The result is general nervous debility, chronic headache, weakness of the back and limbs, deficient and delayed menses, etc. The best remedy for all female troubles is Dr. John W. Ball's Pills—a true, uterine tonic and alternative, a mild aperient, and a wonderful invigorator of the stomach and bowels. Dr. John W. Ball's Pills can be bought at all dealers, or from the manufacturers, A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md., for 25 cents per box containing sixty pills; trial box, 10 cents. Bear in mind that you ask your dealer for Dr. John W. Ball's Pills and accept no other.

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TO MY PIPE

Oh, it is the merry smoke that I love,
From my pipe,
When the flavor of the wood within is ripe,
What a jolly old pipe!
As the smoke I round me curls,
Mounting slowly higher,
As I dream before the fire,
With a flavor in my mouth,
Like a penny from the south,
And my favorite tobacco,
By my side,
With the soothing odor of my
Sweetly linking fact to fancy,
In a golden memory chain,
To the gurgling sweet refrain,
Of my pipe, my pipe,
To the faintly breathing gurgling of my pipe!
Oh, what subtle satisfaction in my pipe,
From my pipe,
Nothing mundane can impart
Such contentment to my heart,
Like a lady, she's my queen,
Is my Lady Nicotine,
When in trouble, how I yearn
For the meek which I burn
At her shrine!
How I pine
For the fragrance of her breath!
Robbed of terror 'tis in death
By her harmless hypnotism.
Healed is every mortal schism.
For and friend,
Sincerely blend
At the burning of the briar.
Greed, capidity, desire
Fade away within the smoke,
In the fragrant, fleecy smoke,
From my pipe, my pipe,
From my glowing, peace bestowing,
Gurgling pipe,
—Sigh! Roush in New York Sun.

TATTOOED.

Nelly Goodlove had nursed Captain Davidson through a serious illness, not for a wage, but out of pure neighborly feeling and kindness of heart. From this he had only just recovered when his favorite nephew, Bertie Page, second mate of the Falcon steamship, came to pay him a visit after a long voyage. At that time Nelly was a thin, awkward girl of 17, with no figure to speak of, and scarcely a good feature, except her brown eyes, which were very large and lustrous. But the grateful old fellow introduced her to his nephew as "just the right sort of gal for a seafaring man to moor alongside of." To the mariner fresh from sea every woman under 40 is a goddess. And that is how the engagement came about.

Nelly was delighted. She did not pause to consider whether she loved the young sailor, but accepted him offhand. Simple seventeen often does that sort of thing and almost as frequently regrets it. Mr. Goodlove, who, I should explain, lived next door to Captain Davidson and was on very intimate terms with him, raised no objections. It was understood that Bertie did not wish to marry until he had command of a ship. In due course he went to sea again, and Nelly named him in her prayers morning and evening and kissed her engagement ring a great many times every day.

It is always interesting to watch the "lucky ducklings" putting on plumage, but none of the Goodloves seemed to be aware that their own particular "duckling" was developing into a swan until the young fellows of Stillboro, ignorant of the engagement so hastily entered into, began to swarm round her like bees about a honey pot.

Captain Davidson, however, was quick to notice the change which time was bringing to pass and to perceive that Dick Goodlove, Nelly's brother, had of late been much sought after—not on account of his own merits. Being particularly wide awake, as will presently be seen, the old fellow wrote a warning letter to his nephew. But the sailor was not his own master. Nearly two years passed before he was able to visit Stillboro.

Nelly was then 19 and as pretty a girl as one would wish to see. Pretty, by the way, hardly describes her. She had grown tall and stately. Her cheeks were rounded, dimpled and tinted like the rose. Her eyes were not as timid as formerly, but full of conscious power. Bertie, who had put on flesh, which had not improved his personal appearance, was amazed at the change. Her beauty had his tongue, and he did not shrink.

At the very first interview after their long separation she could not help contrasting him with more than one of her brother's new friends, and greatly to his disadvantage. Captain Davidson, who was present, watched her closely, and it was after that meeting that he trotted out his little plan.

"Well," said he when the girl had gone home to make her father's tea, "what d'ye think of your sweetheart?"

Bertie, who seemed nervous and flustered, pulled his fair mustache as if seeking inspiration therefrom.

"She's splendid," he said at length. "Who would have thought it? Inez at Barcelona isn't a patch on her."

"Who's Inez?" demanded the old aunt quickly. "Some girl you've been carrying on with?"

"She's a Spanish girl that all our fellows swear by," he answered, coloring under the old man's keen gaze. "I haven't had much to say to her, not being free, but I thought she was jolly good looking until I saw Nell."

"I expect you're no wiser nor no better than most youngsters when

they land in a foreign port," growled the old sea dog; "but, I warn you, don't play any tricks with Nell Goodlove."

"I'm not going to," rejoined Bertie, and no doubt he meant it.

"Because," Captain Davidson went on, "you're not married yet, nor by no manner of means."

"You're not thinking that she won't have me, are you?" cried Bertie in alarm.

"There's no knowing. She has a lot of chances. I'd have liked your chance better if she'd been a bit sweeter just now."

"But she has promised. She has my ring on her finger this minute."

"Aye, aye. That sort of knot's easy loosed. If you'll take my advice, you'll crowd on every bit of sail you can carry and steer for a safe harbor."

"I don't quite understand you," said Bertie.

"Marry her!" cried the old man, thumping the table with his gnarled fist. "Marry her right away—to-morrow if you can persuade her to have you."

"But I've no home to take her to."

"Bring her here. You've no need to make a home. Here's one ready made, next door to her own father's, and she can spend half her time there and half here while you're at sea. I've set my heart on it," he went on earnestly. "If you marry her, this house and all there's in it shall be yours when I'm gone, and what money I have left shall be equally divided between you. She won't come to you a beggar neither. Goodlove has put money by, and Nell'll have her share."

"I'll ask her to fix the day next time I see her," said Bertie, with decision, and the old man growled approval.

It was odd perhaps that Nell, who during her lover's prolonged absence had been quite as faithful as most engaged girls similarly circumstanced, should find on meeting him that the chain galled her. At that time she did not know why exactly, but it was so. On returning home she took off her ring for almost the first time in two years.

"I don't think I love him," she said to herself, "and I don't think I can marry him."

When Bertie called after tea, she was in the same mood. Mr. Goodlove very considerably left them alone together, and the young sailor lost no time in coming to the point.

"Uncle wants me to get married at once," he said. "He has promised to give us the house next door and the furniture when he has done with it, and he would like us to make it our home now."

"It is very good of him," said Nelly, the red blood dyeing her cheeks, "but I—I would rather have a home of my own, and I couldn't leave father yet. I would much rather wait until you have a ship."

He tried hard to shake her resolution, but the more ardent he became the colder she grew, so he returned to his uncle and reported the failure.

"The worst of it," he added, "is that I've only a fortnight's leave. After that's over I shan't see her again for a year, and nobody knows what will have happened by then."

"That's true enough," said the old man thoughtfully. "I was afraid she'd go astray. There's two or three smart fellows about here ready to eat her, if looks go for anything. If you don't marry her now or make her fast, you never will."

"How can I make her fast?" asked Bertie gloomily.

"I've know'd," said Davidson, "when I was a young chap, a goodish many seafaring men as had to leave their sweethearts a-drifting about at the mercy of any privateer as chanced to sight 'em. Some of 'em—wide awake, they was—put a mark on 'em afore they sailed. That held 'em as fast as if the parson had spliced 'em."

"I never was a good hand at riddles," said Bertie.

Chuckling, the old sailor rolled up his sleeve and unbuttoned the wristband of his shirt. From the wrist upward the arm was tattooed. Captain Davidson passed the palm of his right hand up and down the pictures.

"Pretty, ain't they?" said he. "My fingers wasn't so shaky when I did 'em as they are now, but I reckon they're steady enough to put a mark on Nell's arm as'll hold her till doomsday, always providing as she can be persuaded to consent."

"What is it you are proposing?" asked Bertie.

"Just the tattooing of a few letters on her arm, my lad," answered the artful old fellow. "I wouldn't bother her to marry you any more yet awhile if I was you. Be as sweet as you know how, though. A day or two afore you sail you'll show her her name, tattooed on your arm to keep you true, and between us may be we'll persuade her to let me put the same sort of holdfast on hers. Now d'ye see?"

"I think I do," said Bertie.

Thereafter he treated Nell rather as a sister than a fiancée, the re-

sult being that she was much more at her ease when in his society. When she found that he never by any chance spoke of their marriage, she began to like him better and feel sorry that she could not love him.

Meanwhile Captain Davidson tattooed the letters "Nell" in capitals on the youth's right arm.

When only two days of the sailor's leave remained, he showed the tattooing to Nell in Captain Davidson's presence.

"It's a notion of uncle's," said he. "He thinks I might forget you when on the other side of the world, and this will serve as a reminder. I don't need it. I could never forget you. But uncle would have his way."

"Of course, of course," chimed in the old man. "It's only right and proper. You young folks are like a ship with a cargo of iron aboard. The compass is apt to play all sorts of queer pranks, and there's no knowing then where she's steering to. That tattooing is what I call a corrector. It'll keep the human ship on a true course. Roll up your sleeve, my dear, and let me put a corrector on you."

The girl stepped back with a little cry of dismay.

"I shan't hurt you," he went on. "It isn't that," she said. "I—I can be true to my word without it."

"I'm not saying you can't," returned the old salt, "and Bertie isn't either. But, seeing as you won't marry him yet awhile, it would be a great comfort to him when he's far away to know as you couldn't well forget him. Wouldn't it, my lad?" he added, turning to the young sailor.

"It would indeed," was the reply.

"Of course," the artful old fellow went on, still addressing his nephew, "if she wants to find another sweetheart and don't care to be reminded of you, it's only natural as she wouldn't like me to tattoo your name on her arm. But," winking slyly, "there ain't no absolute need for you to sail on the Falcon. You've a home here, and I'd be glad of your company if you'd stop till you've had time to get married in a quiet, leisurely sort of way. I don't believe in hurrying things myself."

Nell's face paled. She did not wish him to stay. Marriage would be a great deal worse than tattooing.

"Oh," she cried, "if he can't trust me, it doesn't matter." And she bared her right arm.

"That's sensible," said Captain Davidson, taking up the bunch of needles.

He performed the operation with great tenderness, and the girl bore the pain almost without wincing. But it was not the word "Bertie" that he traced out. When finished, the inscription read, "I love B. P."

The ancient mariner had intended to tattoo the sentence in full, "I love Bertie Page," but finding that he had scarcely left room he curtailed it.

"There," he said, when alone with his nephew, "she's safe to stick to you. With that motto on her arm she can't marry anybody else. She's aground, high and dry, and I'd like to see the tide that'll lift her off."

At the time appointed the Falcon steamship set out on its voyage with Mr. Bertie Page on board.

Among the most attentive of Dick Goodlove's friends was a certain Jack Pemberton, a fine, handsome, manly fellow. He was one of the youths with whom Nelly had compared her lover, but the ring on the third finger of the girl's left hand forbade him to speak.

One day when he called the golden circlet was not to be seen. Some weeks previously it had dawned upon Nelly that the legend on her arm would compel her to wed the sailor or remain a spinster. Angry at the trick of which she had been a victim, she took off the ring and had never worn it since.

As the ring continued invisible, Pemberton presently grew bolder, and one evening he spoke out.

"I want you to tell me," he said, "whether you still intend to marry Mr. Page. I've no right to ask the question, I know, but my future depends on your answer."

"I couldn't—I can't marry anybody," she sobbed.

Jack Pemberton was not the man to stand by and see a girl weep without endeavoring to console her. It might not have been necessary to put his arm round her waist, but that is what he did.

"You don't love him," he whispered. "You never loved him. That is why you can't marry him. Do you think you could love me?"

"I can't—I mustn't! Don't ask me! It's cruel! I am tied for life!"

"You don't mean to say that it's too late?" he cried. "Surely you haven't married him on the quiet?"

The girl shivered.

"No, no; not that. It's oh, I can't explain! It was Captain Davidson's fault."

"But how could he tie you?" Pemberton persisted, determined to solve the mystery.

"He tattooed 'I love Bertie Page'

on my arm, and now I can't marry anybody."

"Captain Davidson ought to be punished!" he exclaimed. "Will you let me see the tattooing?"

Blushing more than ever, the girl bared her shapely arm.

"Why, isn't 'Bertie Page'?" he cried. "It is 'I love B. P.'"

"Yes, but it means Bertie Page."

"Not necessarily. Pemberton rejoined, laughing. "It will fit me very well. I'm called Jack, but I was christened Benjamin. Suppose we read it, 'I love Benjamin Pemberton.' What do you say?"

Some men are so masterful. With out waiting for the answer, Pemberton drew the girl's head close and kissed her on the lips. She wore a ring on her finger next day, but it was not that given to her by the sailor.

Chancing to meet Captain Davidson, she took care that he should see it.

"Hello!" he cried. "A new ring! Bertie didn't tell me, the sly young dog."

"This isn't Bertie's," said Nell gravely. "It was given me by Mr. Benjamin Pemberton, whose initials, of course, are B. P. I have written to Bertie, care of the Falcon's owners, saying how sorry I am that I can't marry him."

"The dickens!" cried the old salt. "Two B. P.'s! I guessed you wanted to slip your cable, but I thought I'd fixed it so that it would stand any strain."

Some three months after Nell became Mrs. B. P. the old sea dog received a letter from his nephew. The Falcon had called at Barcelona as usual, with the result that Inez Garcia had become Inez Page.

"Humph!" he muttered as he read the news. "I wonder what he's told to account for the name on his arm."—Pearson's Weekly.

Humors of Hydrography.

As in every other feature of nautical life, hydrography has both its interesting and its humorous side. Many years ago the Graham shoal, lying between Malta and Sicily, gradually rose and rose until it reached a height of 150 feet above the level of the sea. Of course a party was very soon dispatched to annex and hoist the union jack on the newly found islet. Years afterward it was reported to have disappeared, and when her majesty's ship Newport surveyed the spot in 1868 a mass of scoriac ashes was found 2½ fathoms under water. In 1866, while searching for the Helen shoal in the China sea, breakers were reported from the masthead of her majesty's ship Dove, which immediately steamed toward the spot, and every one on board the vessel thought a shoal existed there. On a nearer approach, however, the supposed breakers were seen to be due to a fight between a whale and a thrasher.

Later on her majesty's ship Challenger in the course of her cruise happened to be in the neighborhood of the Fiji islands, when a peculiar play of the moonlight on the water was mistaken for an uncharted shoal. An unfamiliar "rip" was responsible for a similar mistake in the China sea in 1889. Again, toward the end of 1890 some mischievous fish caused a lot of trouble to a surveying expedition when her majesty's ship Alert in December of that year was engaged in ascertaining the exact position of Le Rhin shoal, in the Pacific. Breakers were sighted, and upon making for the supposed danger hundreds of large fish were discovered jumping and throwing the water high up into the air, and no bottom with 300 fathoms of line could be obtained.—Nautical Magazine.

Conclusive

Many are the stories told of old Father Neale of Virginia, the Baptist preacher. He was by trade a carpenter, and before he forsook that business to become a minister was head carpenter to General Washington.

Father Neale's only book was the Bible, and when he found a young preacher using a concordance to help him find texts he said:

"You had better let that alone. It will do you more harm than good. It will make you lazy."

"But how can I do without it?" asked the young preacher.

"Why, do as I do," replied Father Neale. "Study the Bible till you know it by heart."

Once he heard a minister say that the people could not have been immersed in the Jordan because that river was so small that a man could almost dam it up with his foot. That was too much for Father Neale.

"I don't pretend to have any great learning," said he, with a twinkle in his eye, "but if I don't read books of travel, there's one book I do read, and that's the Bible. Now our brother here says the Jordan is so small that you may stop it with your foot. His books may tell him so, but my book tells me that David, when he was flying from Absalom and wanted to cross that same river Jordan, had to hire a boat to carry him over!"—Youth's Companion.

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TELEPHONE CALL NO. 34.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Robert M. Weakly, of this city,

has been granted an increase of pension.

The ladies of the Bound Table are

picking at Hove's take this afternoon.

David Miller was arrested by

patrolman McCoy this morning for

drunkenness, and lodged in the city

prison.

Rev. H. B. Bupe, father of Rev. C.

M. Bupe, of this city, died at his

home in Richmond, Ind., yesterday

morning.

The Shamrocks and the Webster

Giants play ball at the park to-day.

Fun can be secured, if not in one

way, then in another.

George Mowery and three other

gentlemen have bought four beautiful

lots on west High street, near

Cole, and have begun the erection of

four nice houses on them.

No. 6 on the O., H. & D. to-day

had a special car that contained a

large number of children from the

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Xenia

who were being taken to their relatives

and friends for their summer

vacation.

Architect J. A. Chapin has made

the plans for a four story brick block

which will be built by Levi Hestrich

this season on his lot on west Market

street, adjoining the John Wheeler

brick block. Work will be com-

menced at once.

The Daughters of Rebecca who

were at Van Wert yesterday desire,

through these columns, to return a

vote of thanks to the Brechens, of

the Pennsylvania, for the many

courtesies shown them. Special cars

were provided for the ladies and

everything done that would conduce

to their comfort.

Important Business.

Regular meeting of the Trades

and Labor Council next Tues-

day evening, June 25th. All dele-

gates be on hand, as business of im-

portance will be up.

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EXPERT TESTIMONY

Being Taken Upon the Question
of Hawk's Sanity.

WHAT PHYSICIANS SAY.

The Case Progressing Slowly and With Not
Much the Jury Left Very Work-
Only Eight Witnesses Exam-
ined this Morning.

Very slow progress was made in the Hawk murder case to-day, there being only eight witnesses examined from 8 till 11:40 o'clock this morning. These eight were all physicians, and most of them were introduced as expert witnesses in behalf of the defense, upon the question of the defendant's sanity or insanity. The case will not go to the jury this week and it is even probable that the evidence will not all be in before next week.

In one of his rulings this morning judge Richie, to use a popular term, took a "fall" out of judge Seney. The defendant propounded an hypothetical question to a witness, asking a number of facts as a basis for an opinion by the witness as to the sanity or insanity of the defendant. Objection was made to the question for the reason that the facts embraced within the question were not established by the evidence, the objection being based upon a holding made by Mr. Seney while acting as judge of the circuit court, in the case of Holman vs. Brown & Welby, as a reason for reversing judge Richie in that case. In commenting upon the ruling made by Mr. Seney, judge Richie said in substance, "That holding is not supported by any court of respectable standing or by any text writer of learning, and is not law and was so decided by the circuit court in the same case after a judge had succeeded Mr. Seney upon the circuit bench."

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Dr. Rudy took the stand at 2:30 yesterday afternoon. Said mental condition of John Stoodt was poor. James Reeder, a cousin of the defendant, said his sister was insane and had been confined in an asylum. On cross-examination he stated that she was taken to the asylum just after the birth of a child.

Dr. A. W. Kahle stated that he was acquainted with Clinton Hawk, the defendant. Said that Hawk came to his office one time with a bill upon which he had guaranteed payment for a friend in Toledo. He told Hawk to whom the bill should be presented. Hawk said "all right" and started out and then an instant later said, "well, when are you going to pay this bill?"

DR. H. C. BENNETT

said Hawk came to his office one time and asked for some medicine for his sister and said that he didn't know whether or not his mother had told him what he should tell the doctor about the girl's ailment.

At 2:45 o'clock court adjourned until 8 o'clock this morning.

DR. BOYER.

Dr. W. N. Boyer was the first witness called this morning. Said he had been a practicing physician and surgeon for sixteen years. Knew the defendant. Said the defendant did some work for him, and considered him a person of nervous temperament and that his ancestral lineage was eccentric. That might at any time develop in the individual in peculiar acts or deeds. Upon cross-examination, Dr. Boyer said he did not know whether or not this peculiar manner might prevail with the individual for a period of two weeks and terminate in an act after which the individual would immediately regain reason. Said he never saw an insane person shed tears.

DR. L. F. LAUDICK.

Said he dressed the wounds of Fanny Watkins after the shooting. Said she told him that the defendant said to his father, before he fired a shot, "Come out of here."

EXPERT TESTIMONY.

Attorney Roby read to the witness a history of the alleged insanity of the defendant's relatives and the history, as he had compiled it, of the defendant's behavior prior to the murder, and the family troubles that led up to the shooting, and then asked if there was an indication of insanity upon the part of the defendant.

Dr. Laudick replied that there was certainly an indication of insanity.

Upon cross-examination the Dr. stated that it was not the rule for insane persons to regain sanity in a single day. Said that he answered Mr. Roby's hypothetical question as he did, assuming that the statements were true.

Prosecuting attorney Ridenour also stated a hypothetical question to Dr. Laudick, giving his statement of the case; how the father was threatened by the son, was followed by the son and mortally wounded; how, after the defendant was locked up, he guarded his rights and cautioned his brother to keep still, would the witness consider that indicated that the defendant was insane?

Dr. Laudick replied that ordinarily it would not, but that, though it was not the rule, the cunning of insane persons sometimes excited that of sane people.

Dr. Anna Goebel, upon direct ex-

amination, replied to Mr. Roby's hypothetical question that, assuming that the statements of the attorney were true, the act of the defendant was an indication of emotional insanity.

Upon cross-examination, when asked by Mr. Ridenour if, the defendant having threatened his father

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AMONG THE RAILROADS.

Superintendent S. B. Fiooster went to Sidney this morning.

The D. & L. N. is ballasting the tracks leading to the new depot. Col. Brown, secretary of the D. & L. N. was in the city last night.

Traveling engineer Miller, of the C. & H. D., is stopping at the Cambridge House.

Conductor Ann Nims, of the C. & H. D., who has been very ill, suffering from an attack of rheumatism, is slowly improving.

AN AGED LADY.

Well Known to Many Lima People, Dies at Aurora, Ill.

Mr. J. D. Vannatta yesterday received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Eliza Vannatta, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Collier, at Aurora, Ill.

Mrs. Eliza Vannatta was born in Pickaway county, Ohio, Jan. 31, 1828, and died June 23, 1897, aged 69 years 5 months and 23 days. It is supposed her death was due to heart trouble, and other ailments. Her maiden name was Spyker, and she was a sister of the late Samuel Spyker, of Oriderville. She was married, May 15, 1848, to J. B. Longshore and moved to Lima in the early fifties, residing on a farm in what is now South Lima, near Main and Vine streets. Her husband died in 1852 and in 1857 she was again united in marriage to Mr. John Vannatta and lived on east Market street, between Jackson and Pine streets. Mr. Vannatta dying in the spring of 1888, of blood poisoning. She was the mother of three children by her first husband, two of whom are living—Mrs. Nelson Shade, of Lucasport, Ind., and Mrs. J. D. Vannatta, of 957 west North street; and had five children by her second husband, three of whom are living—Mr. John Vannatta, of Kentucky; Mrs. G. K. Haller, of Allentown, Pa., and Mrs. B. F. Collier, of Aurora, Ill.

Mrs. Vannatta had been in poor health for the past five years and was compelled to break up housekeeping on east Market street, afterwards making her home with her daughter in Aurora, Ill.

Mrs. Vannatta was one of the old settlers of Allen county, loved and honored by all who knew her. Her remains will arrive at 3:15 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and all who wish to see her may call at the home of Mrs. J. D. Vannatta, west North street, to-morrow afternoon and evening.

Interment will be made in Woodlawn in a grave beside her husband's.

ON A CURVE

A Cut of D. & L. N. Cars Jumped the Track at Napoleon.

Local freight No. 53, of the D. & L. N., met with an accident at Napoleon yesterday. The engine was taking a cut of cars down a branch track leading to the center of the city. In rounding a short curve a car loaded with lumber jumped the track and pulled two others off with it. Conductor Stone was standing on one of the cars and as it left the track he jumped. As he struck the ground his right leg was twisted and broken below the knee. A horseman was sitting on a horse car which also jumped the track and was turned over. He was considerably bruised but received no serious injury. Conductor Stone will be brought back to his home on north Elizabeth street to-day.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going.

Chas. Cahill, of Mt. Vernon, is visiting Mrs. Lockhard, of east Market street.

Mrs. P. L. Rouzer returned to day from a short visit with relatives and friends in Tippecanoe City.

Mrs. Susan Stoner, of Bethlehem, Pa., is visiting relatives and friends in and about Lima.

Mrs. Hattie Allison, of Columbus, O., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Dill, of north McDonel street.

Mrs. Zurluh and three children, of south Jackson street, are spending two weeks with friends in Bluffton, Ind.

Mrs. C. B. Mambeck and children, of Whiting, Ind., are visiting Mrs. May Marshall, of 120 south Pine street.

S. W. Cramer returned this morning, to his home in Paulding, after a visit with his son, T. R. Cramer, and family, of east High street.

Mrs. H. W. Gruby and son were called to Richmond, Ind., on receipt of a telegram stating that her brother, Albert Knopf, of that place, had dropped dead.

The Ladies of Epworth Church

will serve ice cream and cake in the Lima House corner room Saturday evening, June 26. You are invited.

It

AN EXCITING GAME,

And Wapakoneta was Out-
played in Every Point.

LIMA 8. WAPAKONETA 5.

Mackey Pitched a Winning Game and Received Good Support—New Players Show up Well—Hunter's Home Run in the Ninth.

Considering the fact that it was a week day a very good sized crowd witnessed the base ball game at Faurot's park yesterday afternoon. The Wapakoneta and Lima teams were the contestants and that made the game interesting from the very start, and not only that, but the game was an interesting one and the spectators were delighted. Mackey pitched a great game for Lima and his support was only slightly lacking, though it was not quite as good as that given Bresnahan last Sunday. Frank Seale played a great game behind the bat and wound up the game with a put out and an assist to his credit in the ninth inning that were two of the prettiest plays in the whole game. One man was out, a runner was at first and the batter sent up a fly foul that was captured by Seale after a hard run back to the grand stand. The runner thought he had a clinch on second with the ball so far away, and made a great sprint, but with a "wing" that surprised everyone, Seale sent the ball squarely into Murray's hands at second base, the man was out, the side retired and the game was over.

Hunter and Onatfield are creditable additions to the team, both at fielding and batting. Hunter was the first man to bat in the ninth inning and he sent the "pig skin" so far over the right field fence that it wasn't found again and a home run was scored to his credit.

For six innings the game looked as though it would be another shut out, but the Wapak. Indians rallied in the seventh inning and scored three runs, which were followed by two more in the eighth, but Lima had the lead with three in the first half of the first, one in the sixth, two in the eighth and winding up with two in the ninth. The score by innings was as follows:

Lima 3 0 0 0 1 0 2 2—8

Wapakoneta 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—5

Batteries—Mackey and Seale, Lyons and Poor. Struck out—By Mackey, 9; by Lyons, 2. Base on balls—Off Mackey, 1; off Lyons, 4. Hit by pitched ball—Mackey, 1; Lyons, 2. Wild pitches—Mackey, 1; Lyons, 1. Passed balls—Seale, 1; Poor, 4. Hits—Lima, 11; Wapakoneta, 8. Errors—Lima 4; Wapakoneta, 3.

NOTES.

The outfield never was stronger than now.

The same teams play at Wapakoneta to-day.

Mackey was never better than when men were on bases.

Purt's slide to second was one of the features of the game.

McCarty is a favorite at the bat and, like Seale, is always applauded.

Deleahanty did some excellent work yesterday and is always in the game.

Bresnahan has refused an offer from the manager of the Dayton team.

Good old Jack Murray is always at second and never fails when he has half a chance.

The Lima boys played faster ball and outclassed the visitors at almost every stage of the game.

The Lima team is composed of a fine crowd of ball players. They are gentlemen and not given to "boozing."

The boys are playing at Wapakoneta to-day, the most difficult place in the state for a visiting team to win.

Bresnahan, off whose delivery the Gallon players were unable to make a hit, is pitching at Wapakoneta to-day.

Covert, as usual, hit at critical times and kept even for his errors, which were possibly excusable any way.

Chicago Junction will play here Saturday and Sunday. This team is considered one of the best semi-professional teams in the state.

Manager Star is a hard worker and is a good base ball man, and is endeavoring to give Lima a first class ball team. He holds his men together well and works them hard.

Manager Star is endeavoring to schedule a date with the great Cincinnati Reds for July 16th. The Cincinnati boys have many friends in Lima and desire to secure a date. Such a game would bring out a tremendous crowd.

The Greenville base ball club desired games with the Lima team on the Lima grounds July 3d and 4th, but manager Star refused to hold the dates with them on account of the treatment accorded the Lima boys while at Greenville. Not only did the Greenville umpire attempt to win the game by foul means, but the manager even tried and partially succeeded in robbing the Lima boys of what they had contracted to pay the visitors. The Greenville boys

play strong individually, but were not in it at any time with the Lima club when it came to team work.

Captain Murray has the Lima club under good control. They do excellent team work. No player works for his own glory, but the team works together, and each player attempts to carry out the orders of the captain or manager.

Justice, the Wapak player who was believed by many to have been safe at second, acknowledged after the game that the umpire was right in calling him out, as he was not safe by over a foot when touched by the second baseman.

Great interest was created over the game yesterday and many people remarked after hearing of it that they wished they had seen it. The ball sentiment is growing again, and when the people realize that the Lima club is composed of good men it will be well supported.

SEVERAL NUISANCES

Reported and Ordered Abated by the Board of Health.

Sanitary Bills and Salaries Recommended to be Paid—Drug Contract Awarded to Sanford.

The Board of Health, with Messrs. Stollenbach, Durnbaugh, Harley and Hausenstein present, met last evening in regular session and after transacting a little business adjourned.

The bills of the financial committee for sanitary officers' salaries and sanitary expenses were allowed and recommended to the city council to be paid.

Bids from various druggists for furnishing drugs and disinfectants for the ensuing year were presented and the contract awarded to S. H. Sanford.

A nuisance on a lot on west High street that contains a pool of stagnant water, was reported, and ordered abated within three days.

The condition of the lot owned by Edwin Goodenow, at the corner of Jackson and Eureka streets, and lots in the rear of Bowers' bakery and Little Opera Saloon were declared a nuisance and ordered to be abated within thirty days.

No other business was before the meeting and adjournment was made.

A JOLLY CROWD

Of Young People Spend the Evening at McBeth's Lake.

Two large hacks carried a merry party of young ladies and gentlemen to McBeth's lake, last evening, where a delightful evening was spent in boating and other amusements and

listening to sweet music. The party left about 7 o'clock and had with them several baskets filled with good things to eat. After arriving at the grounds the tables were spread and a sumptuous feast served by the young ladies. This was intensely enjoyed by every one in the party. Misses Hoover, Finley and Melly furnished sweet music on their mandolin and guitars. The party was chaperoned by Mesdames A. C. Reichelsdfer and J. W. Orchard.

A YOUNG LIFE.

After a Protracted Sickness, Claimed by Death.

Cora Logan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Logan, of Foder, died this morning at 6 o'clock, after a long sickness from lung trouble. The young woman was twenty years and eight months old, an earnest church worker and loved and respected by a host of friends. Her funeral will be held Sunday at 2 p. m., sun time, in Garfield church. The interment will be made in the Fletcher cemetery.

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